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H. B. 477, S. B. 386, an act to amend chapter 72, Private Laws of 1899, being an act to incorporate the town of Sylva, N. C.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing committees are submitted as follows: From the Committee on Railroads and Railroad Commission:

By Senator Mason of Northampton, S. B. 405, bill to amend sections 2, 15 and 16, chapter 164, Laws of 1899, relating to railroads, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

By Senator McLean, H. B. 364, S. B. 355, bill to allow street railway companies to transport policemen and members of fire companies free of charge, with an unfavorable recommendation.

The bill is tabled.

From the Committee on Propositions and Grievances:

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 487, bill to prohibit public nuisances in Cross Creek Township, in Cumberland County, with favorable recommendation.

From the Committee on Public Roads:

By Senator Shaw, H. B. 240, S. B. 398, bill to exempt all persons under twenty-one years of age from public road duty in Columbus and Tyrrell Counties, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, S. B. 428, bill to permit county commissioners to regulate the speed of automobiles, motorcycles and other like vehicles on public roads and bridges, with favorable recommendation.

By Senator Thorne, H. B. 465, S. B. 444, bill to amend chapter 366, Public Laws of 1901, and provide for the election of road commissioners by a vote of the people in Monroe Township, Union County, with favorable recommendation.